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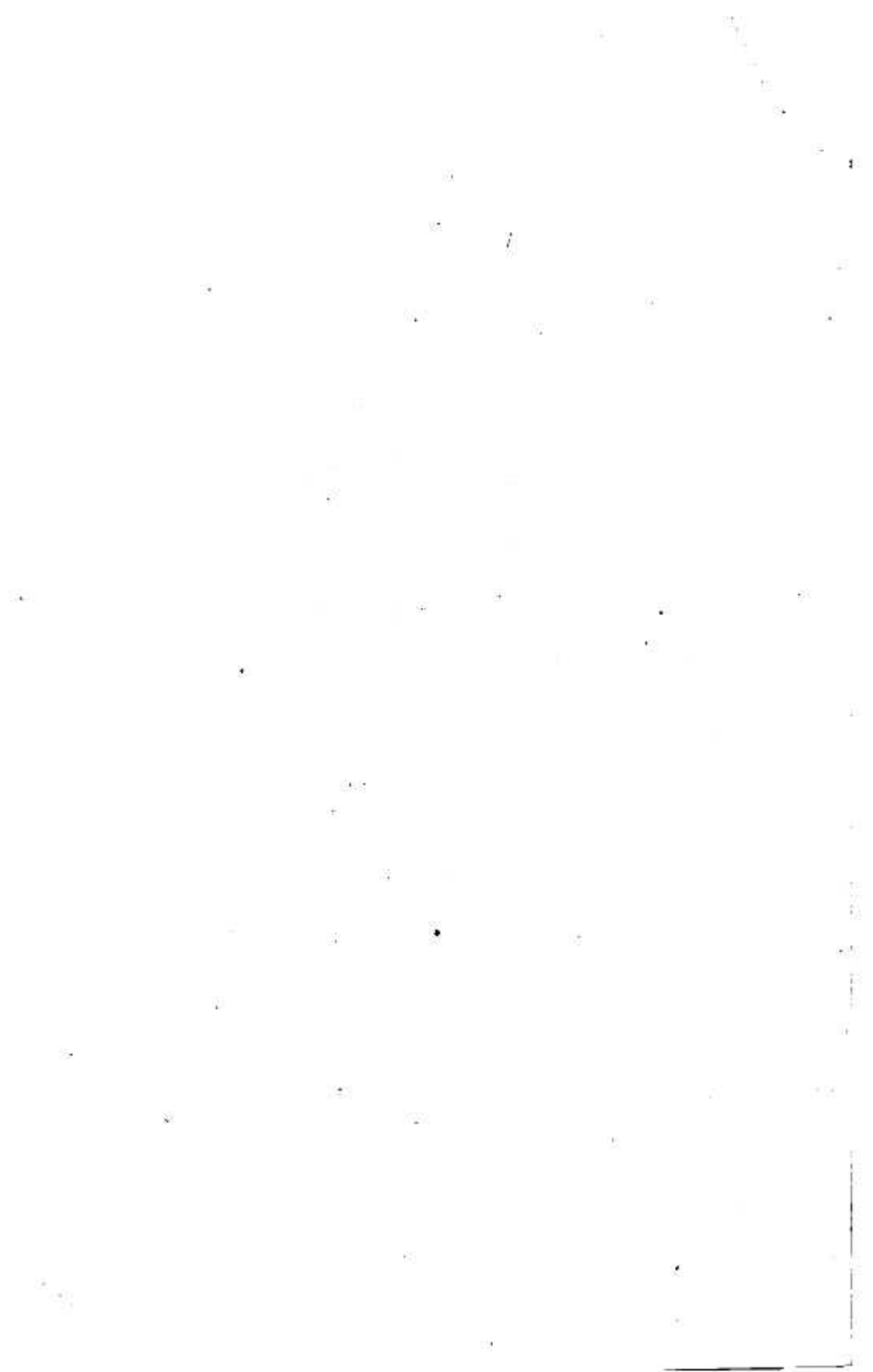
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In presenting this Manual to the public, the compiler deems it only necessary to remark that an experience in the business of Custom-House Broker for upwards of Twelve Years, justifies his recommending it as a reliable work; and it may be readily inferred what amount of labor and research was required in its compilation, when it is considered that the provisions of the tariff laws, now in force, date back as far as the Act of August 30, 1842.

The Manual will be found to contain a Digest of the Tariff Laws from August 30, 1842, to date, thus covering the changes made at the last session of Congress, and a Schedule of the Rates of Duties, alphabetically arranged, and, in addition, numerous Extracts from Important Decisions of the Treasury Department and Explanatory Notes, with an Appendix of Tables of Foreign Moneys, Weights, and Measures, reduced to the United States standard, Rates of Tare, Rates of Drawback, and other important Regulations of the Customs, which cannot fail to prove of service, not only to the importer, but also to those dealing in imported articles and to the general business public.

See page 6 for the Plan of Compilation.

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## PREFACE

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### THE SECOND EDITION.

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The First Edition of the Manual having met with such flattering success, the compiler has been encouraged to issue a Second Edition, printed in larger type, which he presents to the public with full assurance of its reliability and correctness.

In the foregoing preface to the first edition, sufficient has been said to explain the work.

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